<<On the letterhead of Mutual Fund>>

Declaration

To,

Strides Pharma Science Limited, 201, Devavrata, Sector 17, Vashi, Navi Mumbai – 400 703

Subject – Declaration for receiving dividend without deduction of tax from Strides Pharma Science Limited ('Strides') during the FY 2023-24

- 1. <<Name of the shareholder>> is a mutual fund registered / set up with / by <<Please insert relevant statute SEBI, etc>> bearing registration code <<Registration No.>> dated <<Date>>. A self-attested copy of registration of certificate is enclosed as **Annexure 1**.
- 2. <<Name of the shareholder>> is the ultimate beneficial owner of shares in Strides and is entitled to receive the dividend income arising thereon.
- 3. <<Name of the shareholder>> is a mutual fund notified vide Notification No. << No.>> dated <<Date>> under section 10(23D) of the Income-tax Act, 1961 ('the Act'). Accordingly, <<Name of the mutual fund shareholder>> is eligible for exemption from withholding taxes as per section 196 of the Act. A self-attested copy of said notification issued to <<Name of the mutual fund>> as a notified mutual fund under section 10(23D) of the Act is enclosed as Annexure 2.

We hereby confirm that the above information is true to the best of our knowledge and belief. In the event, Strides is liable for any tax demand (including interest and penalty) arising on account of lower/non-withholding of taxes basis the declaration/ documents furnished by us, then we will fully indemnify the Company for any tax demand arising thereon.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For << Name of the shareholder>>

Signature:

Name:

Address:

Place:

Email and Telephone: